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**Mayor Martin Statement on Pullman & Comley Report**

STAMFORD, CT – Mayor David Martin made the following statement regarding the investigative report completed by Pullman & Comley and released yesterday.

*I have done an initial review of the investigative report prepared by Pullman & Comley regarding the situation at Stamford High School and its handling by the school and district leadership.*

*I am appalled and what happened was totally unacceptable. The students and people of the City of Stamford deserve better.*

*The Superintendent and Board of Education should move immediately to correct the deficiencies identified in the report. Policies and management practices must be put into place immediately to ensure this never happens again.*

*I thank Judge Holzberg and the investigative team for bringing forward what I believe to be a rigorous and comprehensive report. I thank Corporation Counsel Emmett for overseeing this process and all of the relevant parties for their cooperation. It is important to have the facts for this complex and sensitive situation, and their work will enable us to heal and move forward in an expedient and constructive manner.*

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